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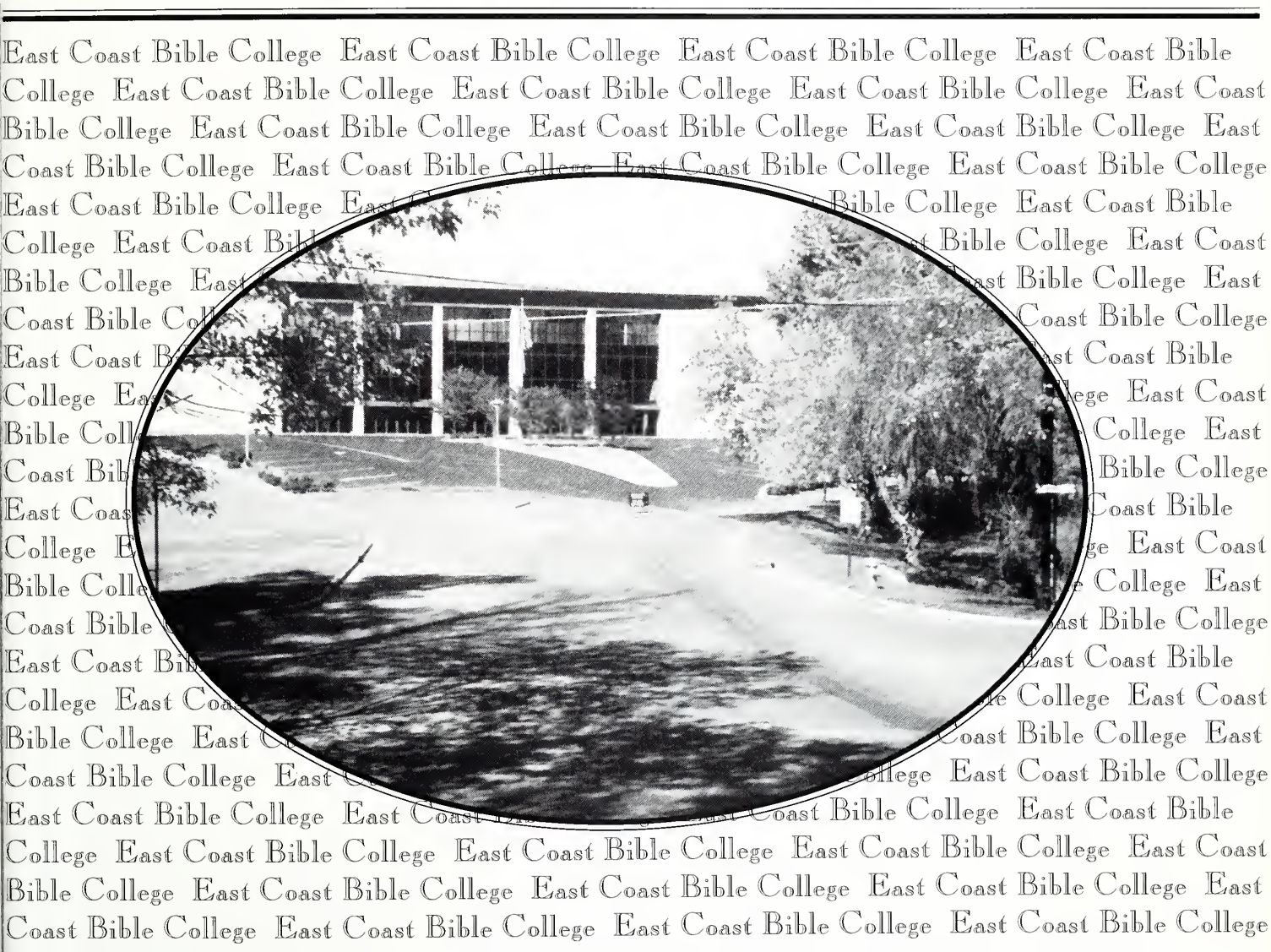

1976 - 1996

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Unity in Christ

Students tend to fellowship a lot at East Coast Bible College. Lord help these kids! (below)

Digging in the Word

How much time do students spend in the Word of God? Well, ask this fine young man. (right)

After midnight hours

This is what students do after midnight hours besides sleep and study. (above)

Times of Prayer

Students express concern for each other through prayer during chapel, revival, and in private. (right)

Our 20th Year

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Many Talents
Many students have different talents from acting to singing, from comedy to preaching. Here at East Coast students have opportunities to use their talents. (above)

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That Great Day of Registration

David Byrd comes back to E.C.B.C. with a big grin.

Teodora Doneva waits patiently and is very tired.

East Coast Bible College starts off with a great shout of joy to God because this is its 20th anniversary of instruction. We have students from as far north as Alaska, as far south as Florida, and even out of country such as Bulgaria. Students are hungry to prepare for God's calling in their lives.

MISSIONS

EVANGELISM

Now don't these new freshmen look like happy campers ready to get into gear and dig in God's Word!

Faye Taylor is hard at work trying to get freshmen lined up for pictures for yearbook.

Neil Martin is just thrilled to come back to East Coast Bible College.

The famous E.C.B.C. Top 10 list maker Bill Coble is back in town for another year of fun and excitement along with studying.

Linda Allen is hard at work trying to figure out the new system at a busy time.

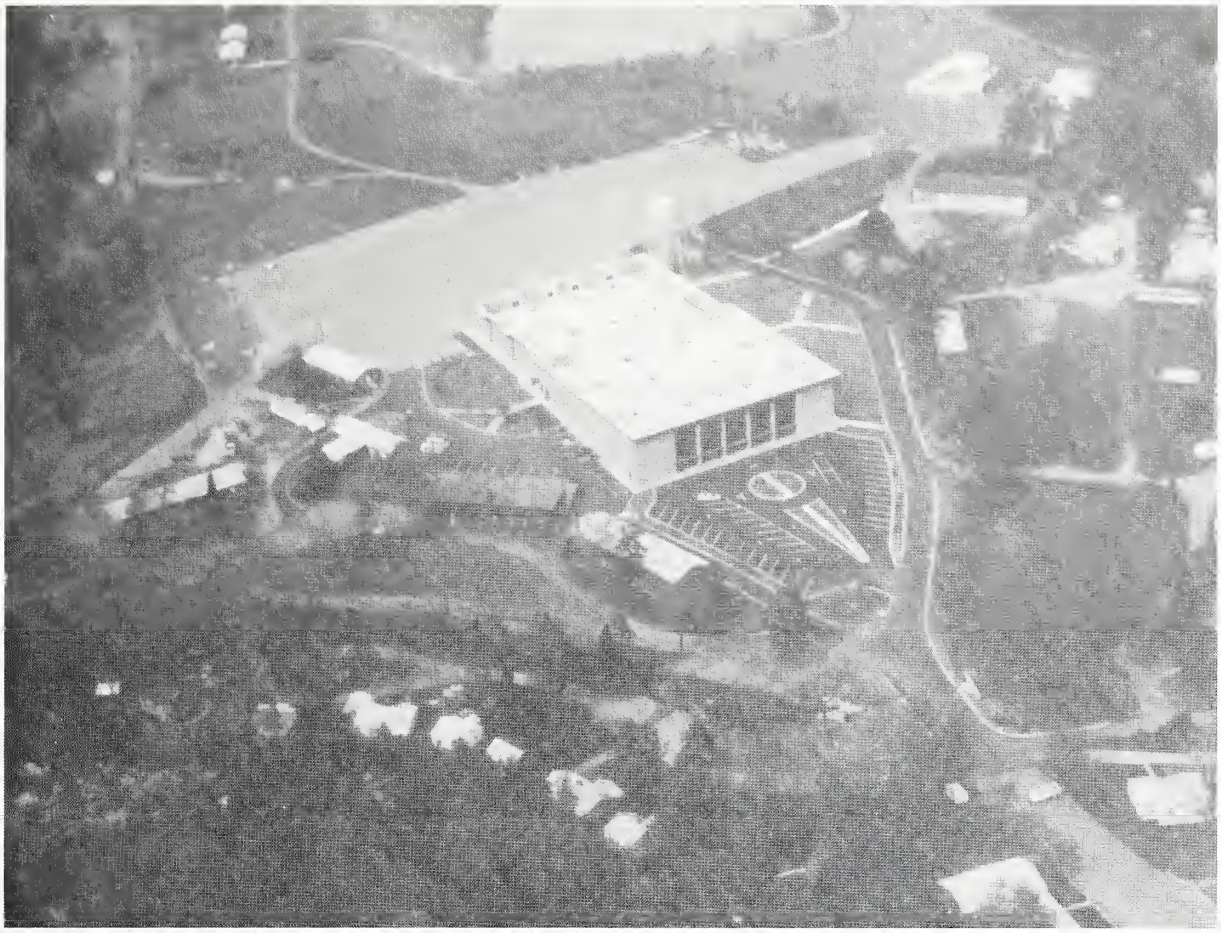
Our brand new freshmen pose for the camera while waiting in the mile long line.

East Coast Memory Page

East Coast Bible College has hit its 20th anniversary. From planning and building to remodeling the dormitories and other buildings, the college has gone through many changes. What now are Paulk Womens' Dorm, the Student Union Center and the old Autman Dorm were once all men's dorms for campmeeting time. The current Byrd Dorm and "work-out" building were the girls' dorms. The chapel today was once the library and what is now the library was once a banquet hall. The college has gone through many improvements through the years.

East Coast looked different during its first few stages of construction back in 1975. (top picture)

Byrd Dorm was undergoing a major remodeling period when it became a part of the college. Byrd Dorm is older than the college. (left)



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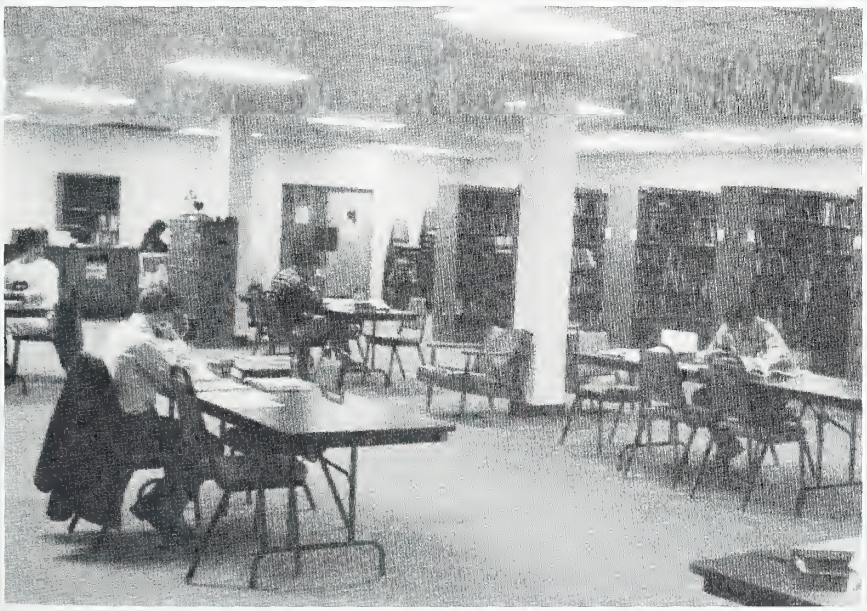
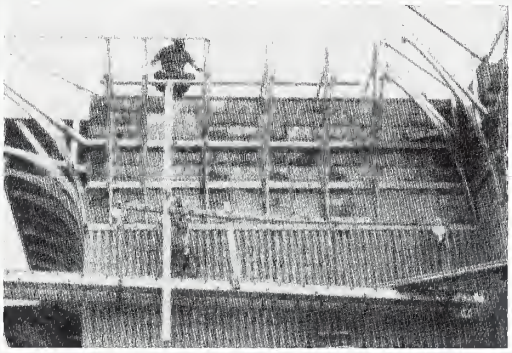
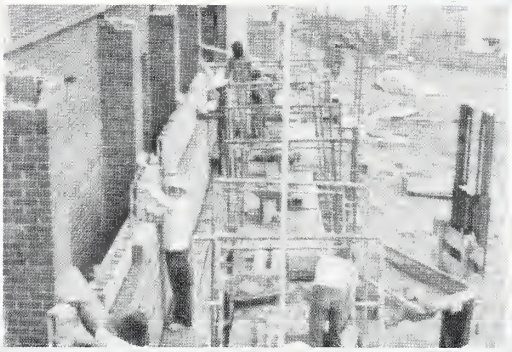
What in this picture is no longer here on campus? (above)







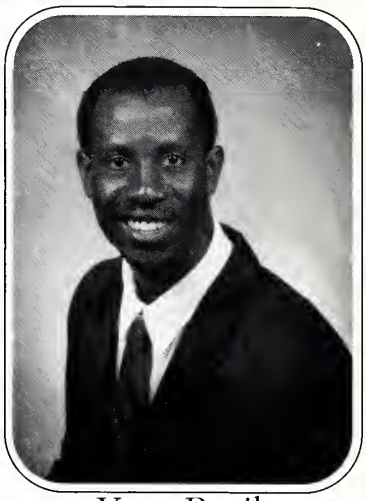
The library was once where the chapel is today on first floor. (above)

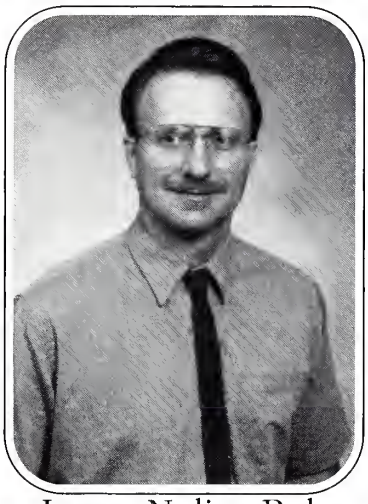
STUDENTS

SENIORS

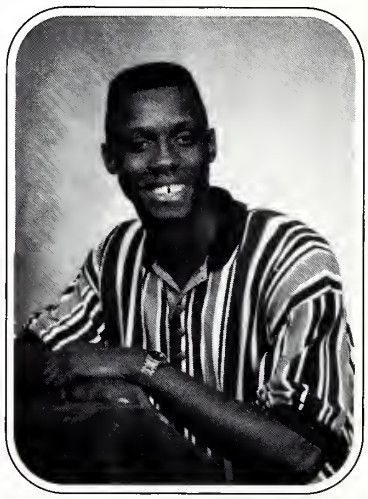
Georgeta Andra

Gerald Thomas Atkins


Yves Bazile


James Nolice Boles

Myron Van Cheek


Jarrett Godwin

Laurie C. Hawks

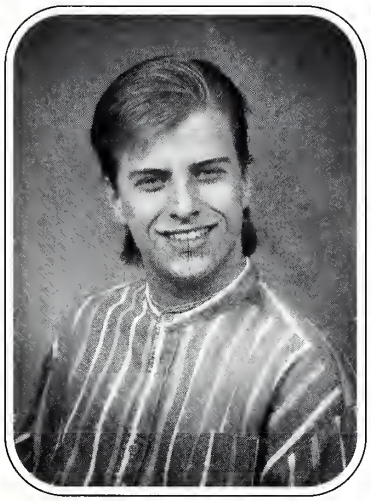
Ronald D. Huffstetler

Jill Louise Kester

Daniel M. Kinjorski

Tony Latham

William Martin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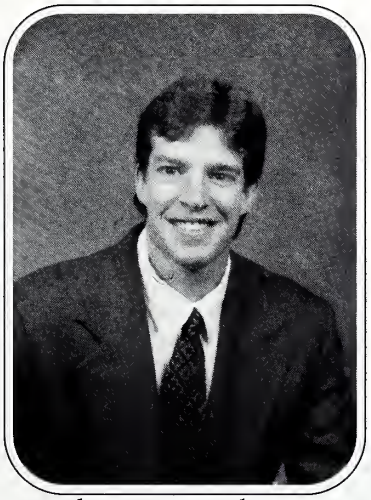
Travis Eugene Moore

Eric John Muckel

Gary Nunn

Jeffrey M. Padgett, Sr.

Lester Powell, Jr.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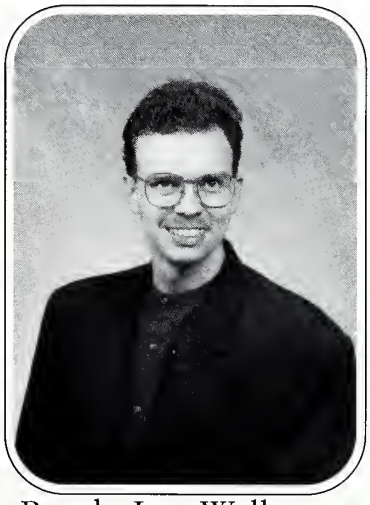
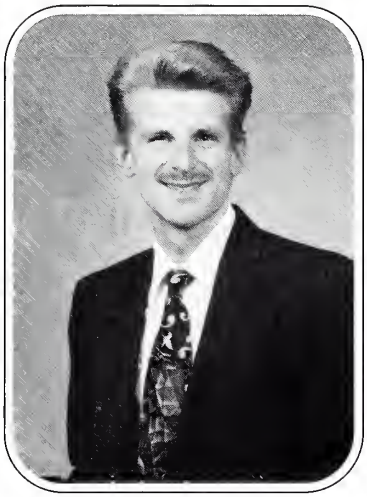
Lisa Diane Sizemore


Randy Lee Wallace

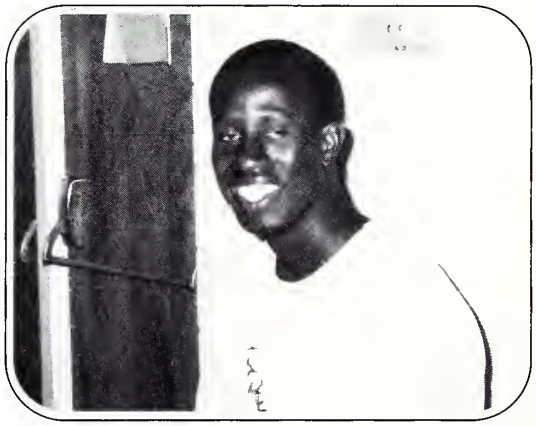
Vicki L. Welch


Jason Eric Winkler

Justin Lane Wright

Diana Zaragoza

Larry Mathews takes a nice long nap in Student Center instead of going to lunch for chicken nuggets.

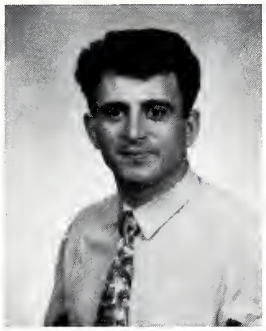

Yves looks very tired after a long day of work and classes.

MIGHTY GOD

William Martin and Diana Zaragoza fellowship with their fellow classmates for one more year.

Juniors

Christel Addis


Jihad Barham

David Byrd

Bill Coble

George Douglas

Kristie Goforth

Heather Green

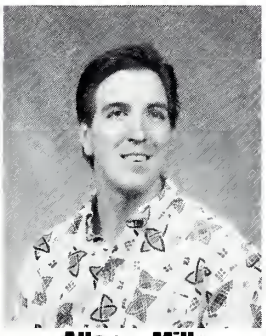
Carl Hadaway, Jr.

Emilie Hipp

Staci Honeycutt

Sarah Levine

Jaime Lovley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Jennifer Miller

James Nuse

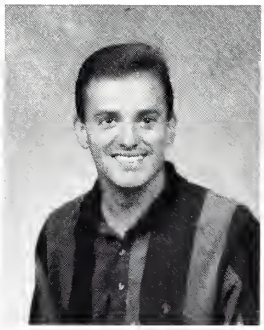
Michelle Peck

Shawn Peck

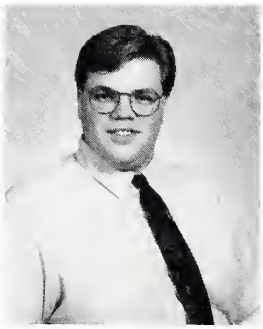
Fredericka Pickett

Raymond Reece

Denise Sears


William Sears

Tara Sessoms


Matthew Sherman

Jessie Tarver

Gloria Tyner

Kristine Y-Walker

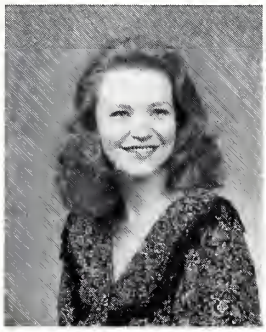
Not only are we crazy over East Coast.....

"Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new." 2 Cor. 5:17

.... but even more crazy for Jesus our Lord!!

Sophmores

Miroslav Atanasov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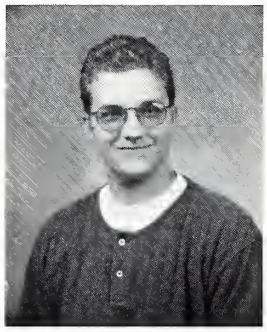
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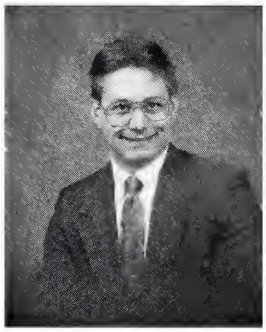
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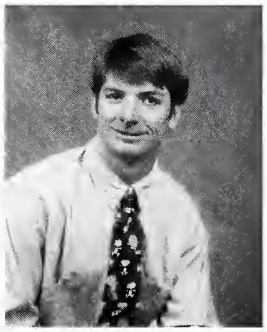
Kevin Bobo

Kimberly Borin

Wendy Byrd

Sarah Christian

David Cox

Elizabeth Davis

Dony Donev

Leah Edgecombe

Paul Edgerton

Brenda Elliott

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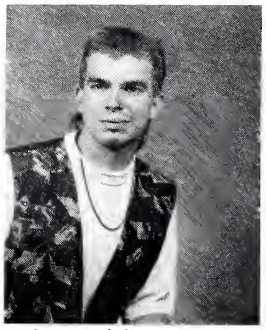
Tangie Hanna

Laura Harvey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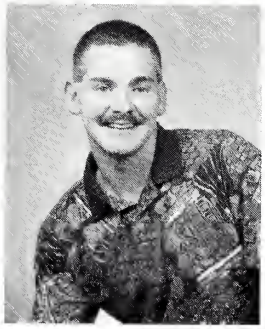
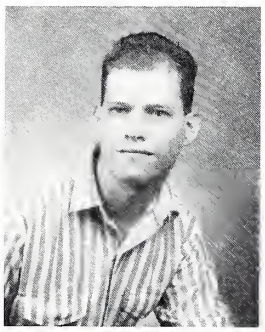

Joseph Johnson

Shawna Latham

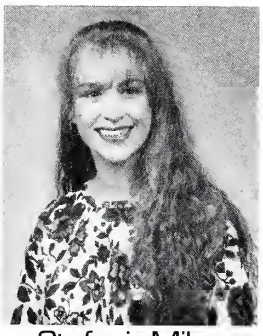
Lydia Martin


Neil Martin

Leah Edgecombe says, "Jesus gonna rock your world!"

Tamara McManus

Jeremy Mew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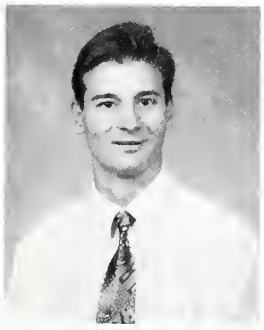
Adriana Navarro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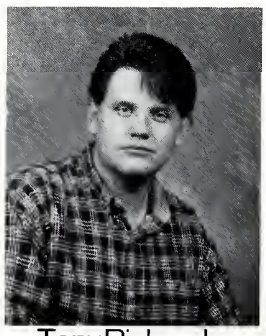
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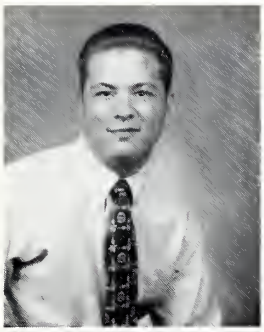
Melody Dawn Richardson


Jeff Sibbett

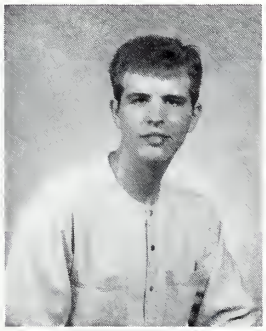
Michael Smith

Amanda Stewart

Ben Temple's famous 7/24 serious look.

Jesus is like Coca Cola, He is the real thing!

Timothy Tatum


Benjamin Temple

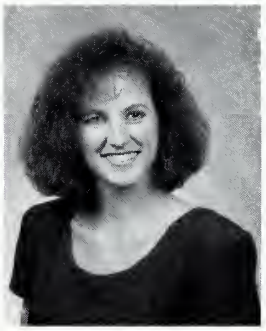
Angelique Thomas

Donald Thomas

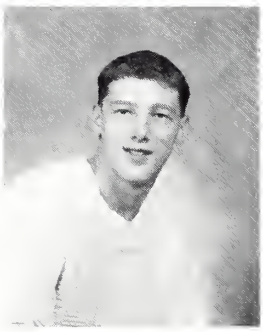
Rhonda White

Joe Johnson takes a nice small break from classes. (left)

Joey Williams

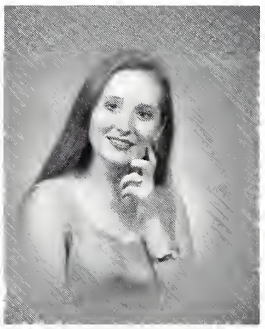

Tracy Williams

Freshmen


David Bourhill

Daniel S. Braucht

Chris L. Cain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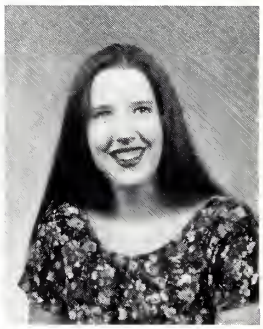
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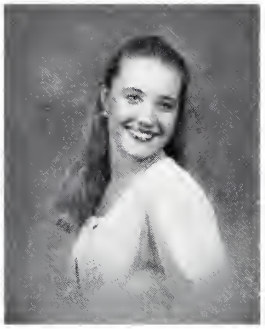
Emily M. Clay

Melissa L. Clay

Ronnie Culbreth

Yong Cha Davis

Teodora Doneva

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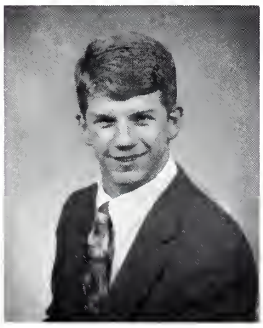
Kathryn Flowe

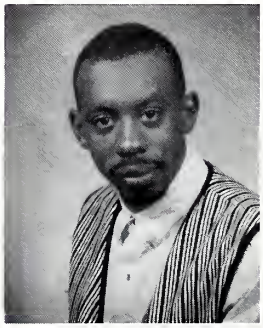
Regina A. Flowers

Sidney Frazier

Amy L. Gevedon


Devon Glass

Jennifer Glass


Terrence Grooms

Susan Hadaway

"But encourage each other every day while it is 'today'. Help each other so none of you will become hardened because sin has tricked you." Heb. 3:13

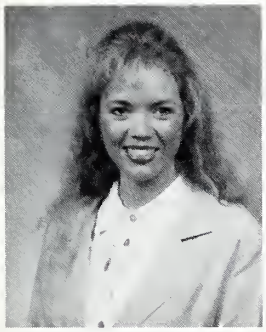
Christie Hardee

Joanna Harward

Barry W. Howell

Jason L. King

Jacqueline Kochumman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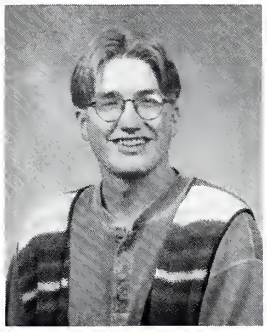
Angela Masters

David W. Mercer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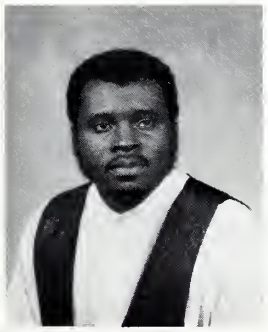
Duane Moore

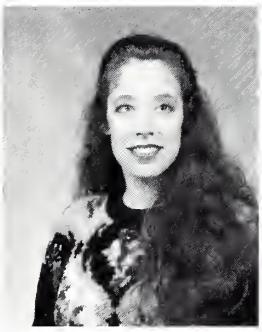
Heather Morrow

Dorina Naznean

Tanya Overbay

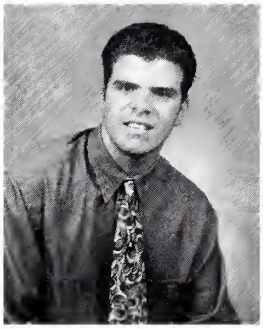

Eddie Parsons

"Let us think about each other and help each other to show love and do good deeds. You should not stay away from church meetings as some are doing, but you should meet together and encourage each other..."
Heb. 10:24,25


Lora J. Ray

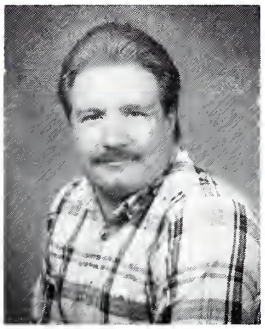
Elisa B. Reynolds

Joel Roman testifies for the Lord our God and what He has done for him.


Joel Roman

Juan J. Segura

NEW PEOPLE


Stephen Vicari

Sidney Frazier doesn't wait around to make new friends.

Misty Weyant

Brian Williams

What Students Do Just To Get Attention!

Chris Cain demonstrates new deodorant called JIF peanut butter.

Allen Bard says, "Don't talk to me, talk to my hand."

How desperate do students get financially?
THIS IS ONLY A JOKE - LIGHTEN UP!

FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

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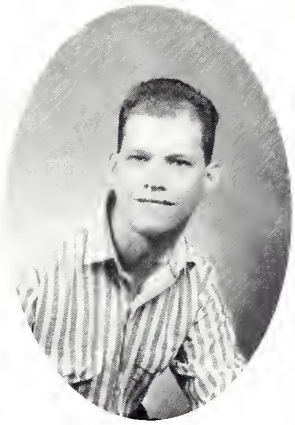

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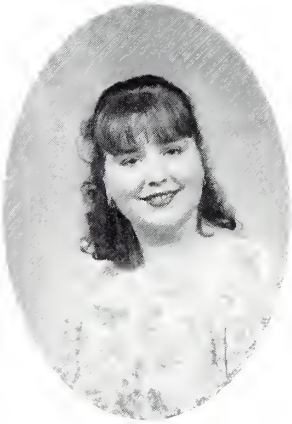

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Prayer:
Tom Tatum, Dean of Students, goes through Byrd Dorm and annoints it with oil and prays. Does it ever need it!

Relaxation:
Mike Fleming gets ready for a nice joy ride to get away from the college grounds for a while.

Faculty & Staff Involvement

We may see the teachers, secretaries, the deans and even the president as just part of the college. But they also care about the students and the campus as well.

THE FACULTY ARE ALWAYS FULL OF SURPRISES!

Fellowship:
Joyce Miles, CE Instructor, talks with Matt Sherman before Chapel.

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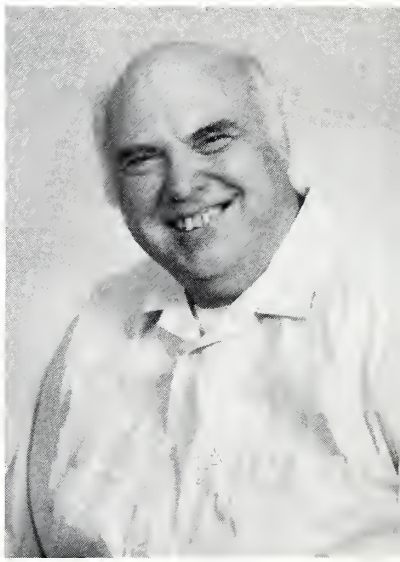

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Joanna Harward gives Sister Isaacs her mail.

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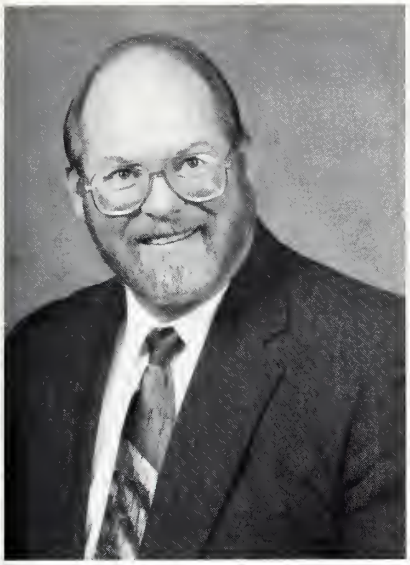

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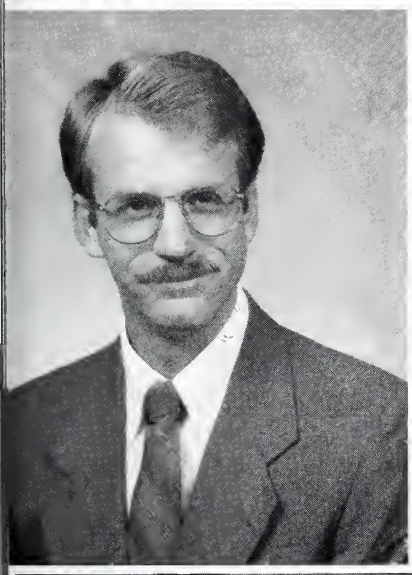

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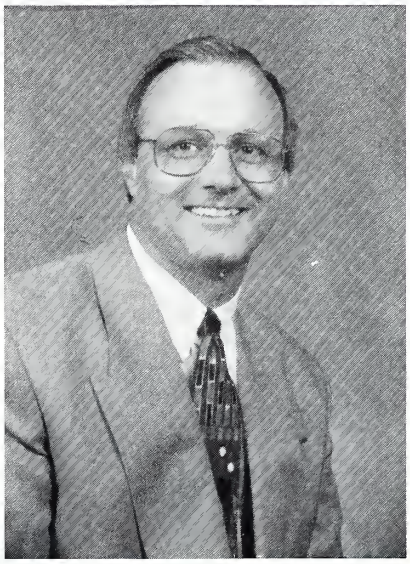

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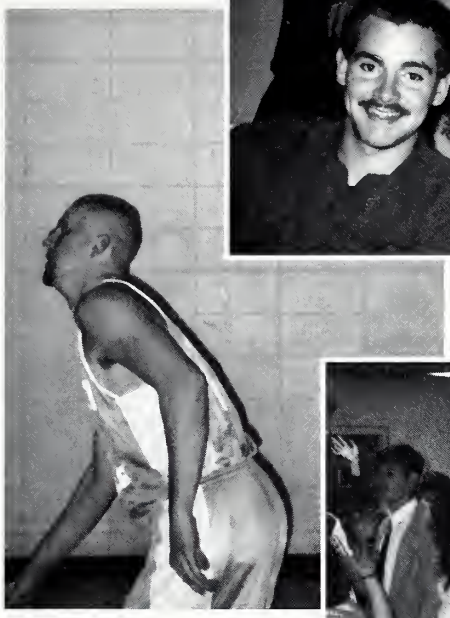
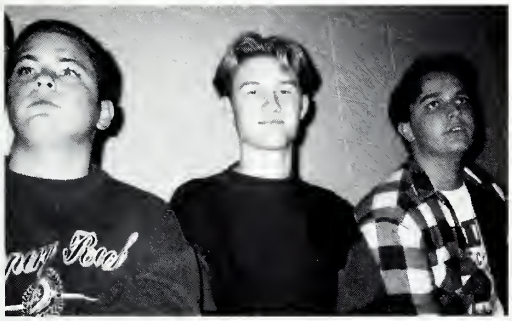
The Chosen Ones

God's Annoited



STUDENT ACTIVITIES



Mime:
Emily Clay & Chris Cain accompanied by Myron Cheek perform the "Sin Box".

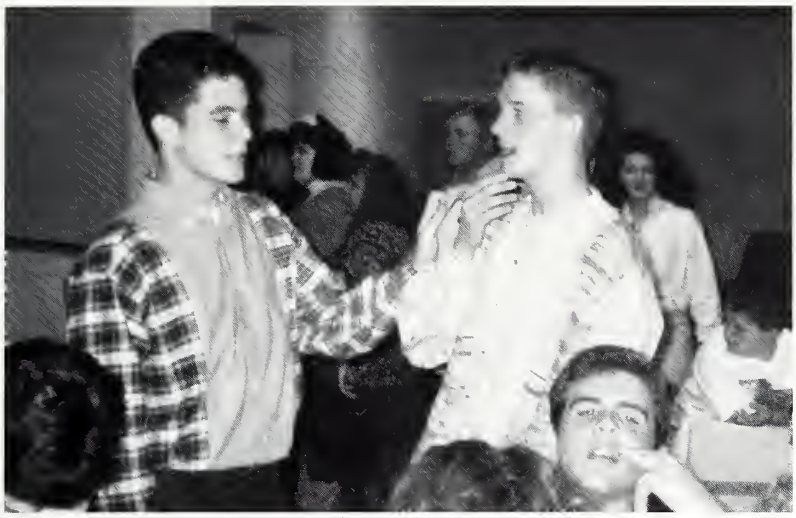
Comedy:
Jason King, Jeremy Mew, Jeff Sibbet, and Duane Moore show team work as the soccer team explores their feminine side.

Faculty involvement:
Dr. Voorhis actually shows up for a social event. Enough said.

IT + ALL + ADDS = UP

Campus Day Weekend

Campus Day Weekend of 1995 was a booming success. Even students who came to visit from Lee College were impressed with what they saw. We had entertainment performed in many ways, from mime and drama to singing by the students of East Coast. Teens from all over came to check out the college. Our special guest this year was Karen Wheaton who sang for the glory of God here at the college. This year the college tried something different. We had a night of fun and adventure with all kinds of activities and free food for everyone. This was big talk for those to take back to their home churches.

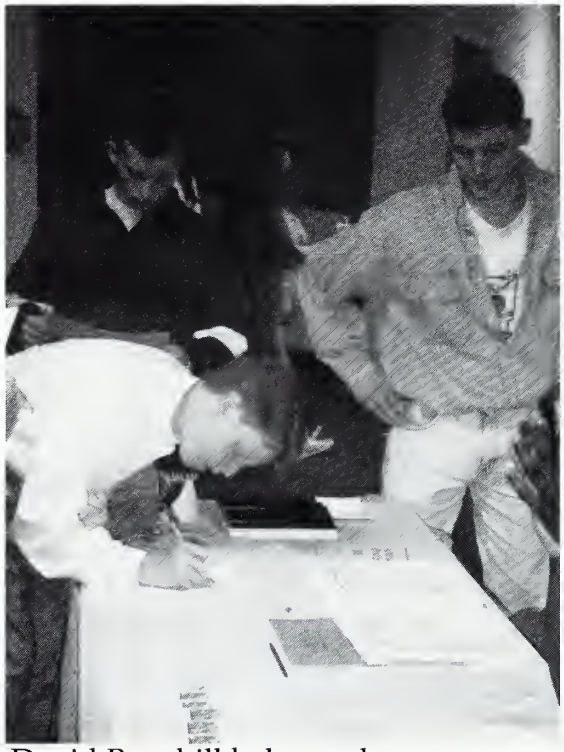


Jeremy Mew shares with a visitor some humorous tales about Byrd Dorm.

Sister Galloway has gotten all stressed out over nothing. Still adjusting to East Coast life.

Show & TELL

Bill Coble and Sister Miles give a good smiling E.C.B.C. welcome to our visitors.



David Bourhill helps make sure visitors get registered.

Danielle Ethridge and Melody Richardson sing unto God with their whole hearts. (right)

A student gives all the praise and all the glory for meeting her needs in areas of her life. (below)

LET US WORSHIP THE LORD IN SPIRIT AND IN TRUTH!

Reverend Bobby Gilley, this falls evangelist, has a brief shouting spell while he prays for the students. (above)

President Leonhardt sings his famous song, "The Pay Master". (right)

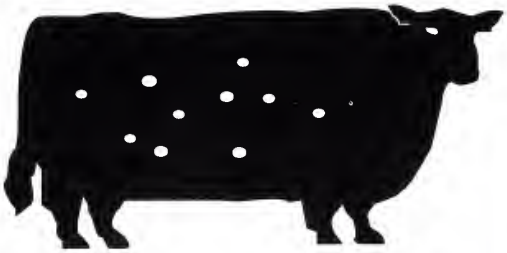
Spiritual Renewal

In late September, just before fall break, the students were spiritually refreshed during a four day revival with Reverend Y.Z. Isaacs and Reverend Bobby Gilley. Stress was lifted, needs were met, prayers were answered. We serve a mighty God.

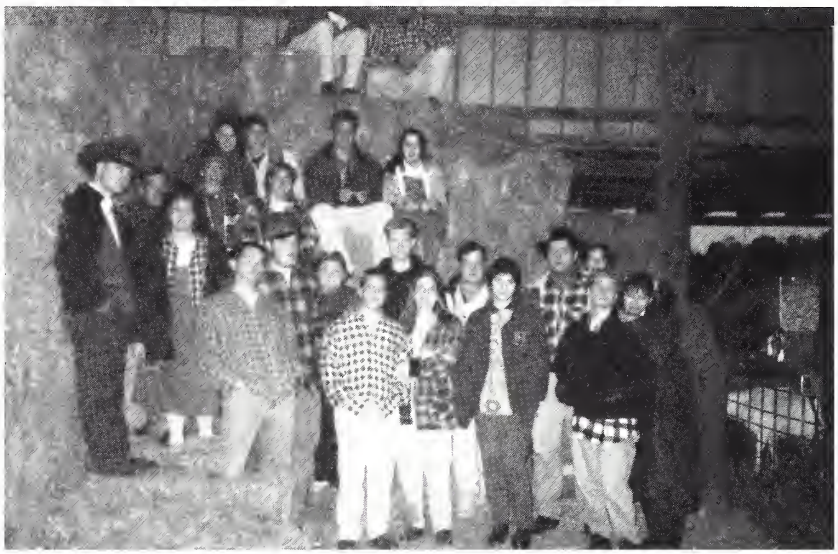
Emilie Hipp got into worship unto the Lord her God with that annointed violin of hers. (above)

The East Coast Chorale sang a couple of songs for the Lord during a time of worship just before the message was preached. (left)

SADIE HAWKINS 1995



"HOLY COW, I HOPE THEY DON'T PLAN ON ROASTING ME!"



THE 'HEE-HAW' GANG

"WOW! THE ANTELOPE REALLY DO PLAY"

ANYBODY NEED A RIDE BACK TO E.C.B.C.?

Sadie Hawkins of 1995 was held in November. This was a night for the students to just let their hair down and go western. Some went western style all the way and others looked more like the people from Green Acres. There was live music, student tractor drivers, and those city folks enjoying farm life for the first time in their life. This special night was a time to get away from school work, dorm life and best of all, cafeteria food.

"CAN YOU TOAST MY BUNS WHILE YOU'RE AT IT?"

"THE BEST HOE-DOWN THIS SIDE OF HEAVEN"

"OH, GIVE ME A HOME, WHERE THE BULGARIANS ROAM, YE'ALL"

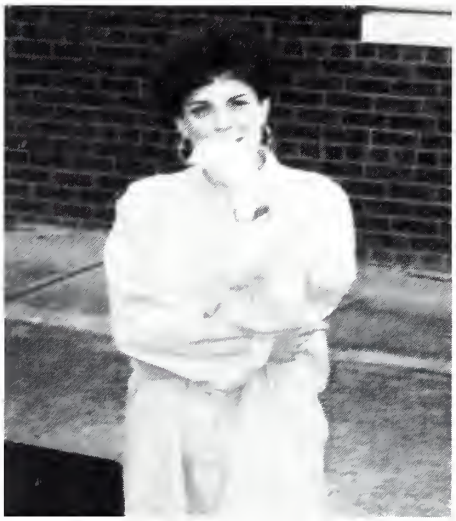
DAVID BOURHILL AND CHRISTEL ADDIS ENJOYING THE GREAT OUTDOORS

THE OTHER SIDE OF STUDENT

DAVIE B. PERFORMS "LIVE"

JEREMY MEW GETS A LITTLE CLOSER!

WE'RE TIRED AND WE DON'T WANT TO GET UP!

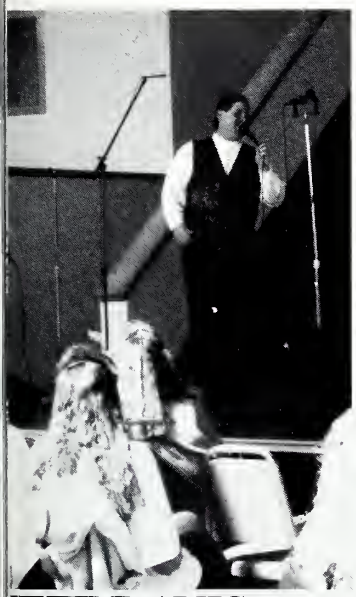


JENNIFER MILLER DAYDREAMS ABOUT...

JASON KING AND STACI HONEYCUTT THE TYPICAL COUPLE ON CAMPUS.

SHAKE THAT BRANCH SISTER SESSOMS!

LIFE BESIDES EDUCATION



JEFF DAVIS KICKS BUTT WITH A NEW SONG.

EAST COAST BRIDAL COUPLE OF '96.

REVIVE US, O LORD

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LARRY TIMMERMAN PREACHED UNDER A SPIRITUAL ANOINTING.

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MUSICIANS PRACTICE FOR REVIVAL

UNION ROAD CHURCH OF GOD CHOIR

SOME STUDENTS WERE VERY BLESSED...

Spring Convocation of '96 had an effect on all students. Some good and some bad. The speaker was the State Overseer of Florida, Larry Timmerman.

EDDY WILSON LEADS THE STUDENTS IN WORSHIP.

RUSTY AYERS, MELODY-DAWN RICHARDSON, AND DANIELLE ETHRIDGE SING THEIR LITTLE HEARTS OUT FOR THE GLORY OF GOD.

PRAISE

YE

JEHOVAH

Watch who you stand with for pictures... you know how East Coast students are...

David Cox and Tanya Overbey

AT EAST COAST IF YOU HANG AROUND A PERSON TOO MUCH OTHERS ASSUME YOU MAY BE A COUPLE...

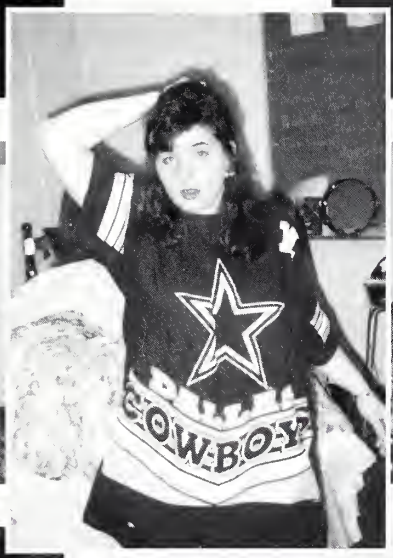
Tony Richards and Kristie Goforth

Teodora Doneva and Miroslav Atanasov

Heather Morrow and Jimmie Cox

JR Cook and Mandy Stewart

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A COMPANION?
WELL, TRY JESUS FIRST BEFORE YOU GO SEARCHING.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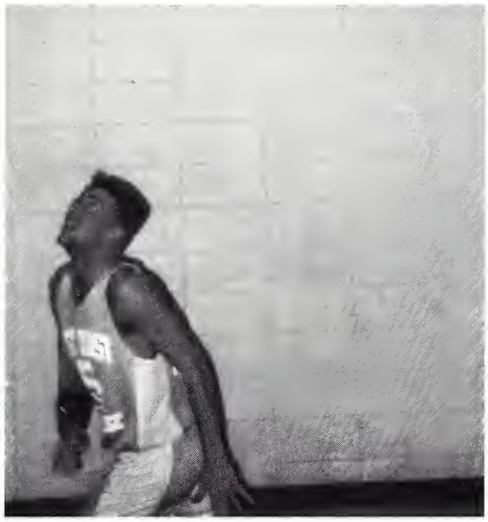


Top left: John Ransom leaps for the ball.
Above: David Bourhill takes a break from practice.
Top right: Jarret Godwin scores points for Cavaliers.

BASKETBALL TEAM 1995-96

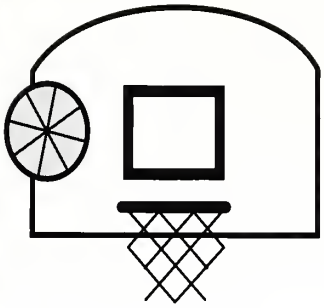
BOTTOM: Coach: Rusty Ayers,
FIRST ROW: (left to right) Jarret Godwin, Shawn Smith, Jimmie Cox and John Ransom.
SECOND ROW: (left to right) Chris Haas, Joel Roman, Justin Stewart, David Bourhill and Glen Walters.

CAVALIERS

Joel Roman and Chris Haas run a few laps for good old coach Rusty Ayers.

Will somebody shoot one of the balls please!

Team practice before the big bang of a game.



Jimmie Cox hangs on for the points he scores.

Who has that good old school spirit still inside them!

1995 Cheerleaders

Lora Ray
Melissa Clay
Emily Clay
Misty Weyant
Heather Morrow
Amy Fickett
Danielle Ethridge
Melody-Dawn Richardson

Front row (l to r) Misty Weyant, Emily Clay. Second row (l to r) Amy Fickett, Lora Ray, Heather Morrow, Melissa Clay.

During that good old season of basketball it seems like being back in high school all over again. The only difference is the maturity of the ball players and the crowd (I think). Everyone cheers on the team and yells at them when they miss a score, but hey, it's part of all the fun.

Having fun at Basketball games

A TIME WHEN THE STUDENTS REALLY GET IN THE FLESH AND SHOUT!!

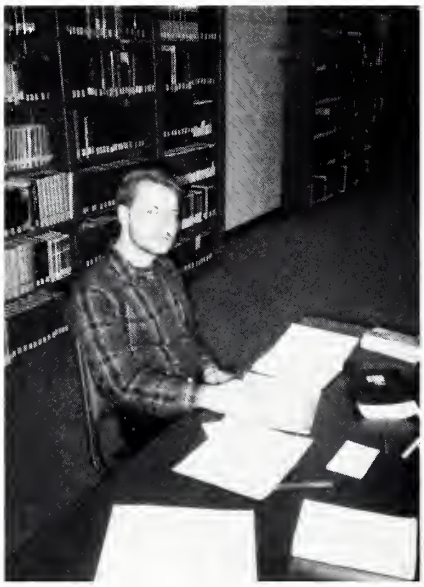
RHONDA WHITE LOOKS EVERYWHERE ACCEPT WHERE SHE'S DRIVING.

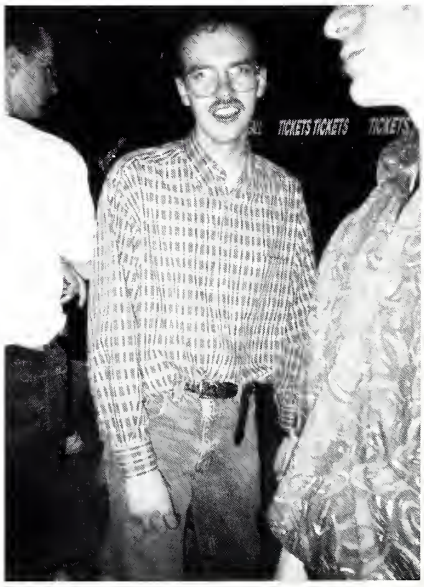
TARA SESSOMS GIVES HER EAST COAST STRESS SMILE

JARRET GODWIN CHILLS OUT AFTER WASHING SEVERAL CARS

WHAT DO BROTHER AND SISTER HAVE IN COMMON?

THE BULGARIANS ALMOST STUDY MORE THAN THE AMERICANS!





RANDY WALLACE WAITS TO GET IN TO THE CARMAN CONCERT

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CLOWNS FOR CHRIST

CHORALE

JEFF MINK
DAVID COX
RANDY WALLACE
LORA RAY
DAVID BYRD
BEN TEMPLE
TEDDY DENOVA
ALBERT EPPS

STEPHANIE CARTER
AMIE FICKETT
HEATHER MORROW
ANITA LOGAN
DORINA NAZNEAN
JILL KESTER
DAVID MERCER
FRANCIE CLAYPOOLE
CHRISTIE HARDEE

MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE!

SGA

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

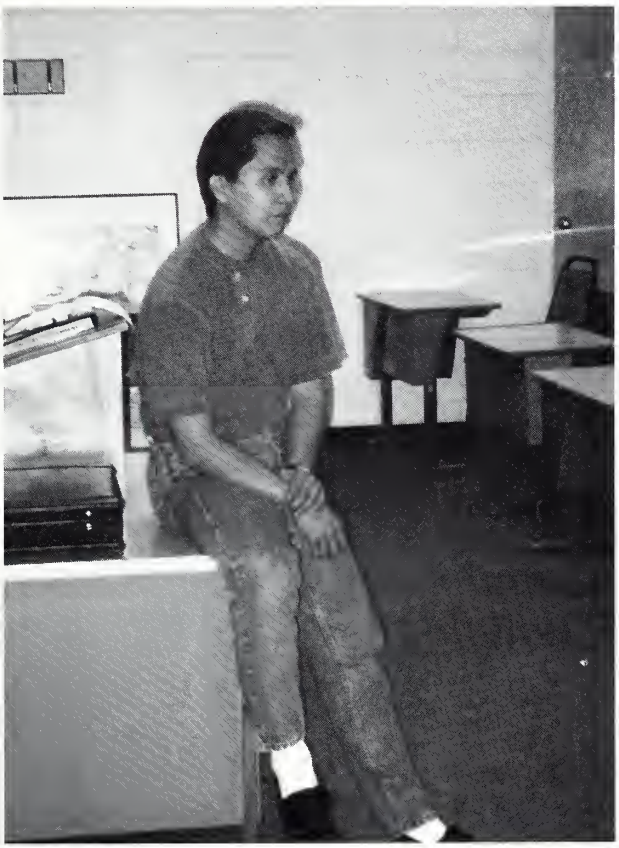
THE STUDENTS OF THIS YEAR WOULD LIKE TO THANK TARA SESSOMS FOR HER HARD WORK AS SGA PRESIDENT THROUGHOUT FALL SEMESTER.

DENISE SEARS GIVES ORDERS FOR SETTING UP FOR HOMECOMING.

NEW SGA OFFICERS: CHRIS HAAS, PRESIDENT; DAVID COX, VICE PRESIDENT; BEN TEMPLE, SECRETARY.

PIONEERS FOR CHRIST

ALL MEMBERS WAIT AROUND FOR MEETING TO BEGIN.



WILLIAM MARTIN, PRESIDENT, TAKES CHARGE OF PFC MEETING.

THE MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

1995-96

(L TO R) Ray Reece, Tom Atkins, Bill Coble, Fredericka Pickett, Paul Edgerton, Tara Sessoms, and Jeannine Reece.

EAST COAST MISSIONS CLUB

Top left to bottom right:
JR Cook, Joel Roman, Neil Martin, Mandy Stewart, Emilie Hipp, Amie Fickett, Bill Coble, Christie Hardee, Kim Borin, Diana Zaragoza, Edgar Smith, Jarret Godwin, Jason Honeycutt, Eric Muckel.

THE COASTLINE

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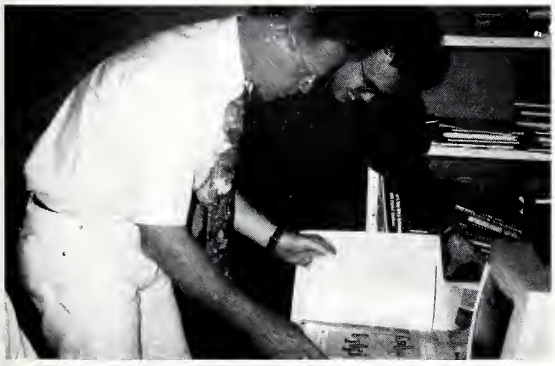

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Students Minister outside of United States

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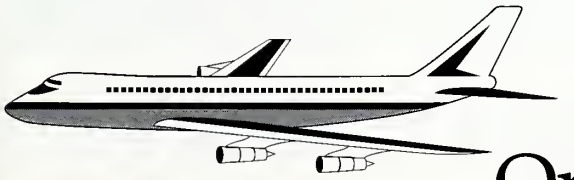
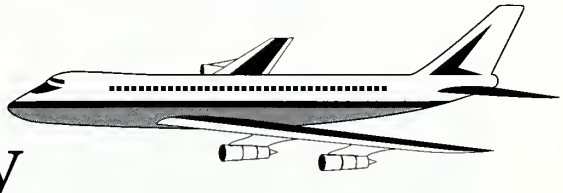
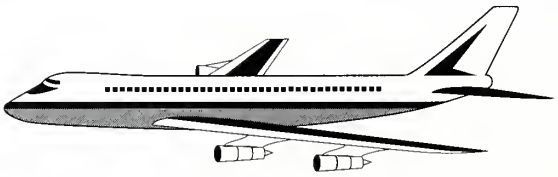




Organized by Vince Castellani

SHARING WITH THE CHILDREN

FROM THE BEGINNING



I HOPE THIS ISN'T USAIR.

Mission project is to build a roof for this house.

THE TEAM HARD AT WORK

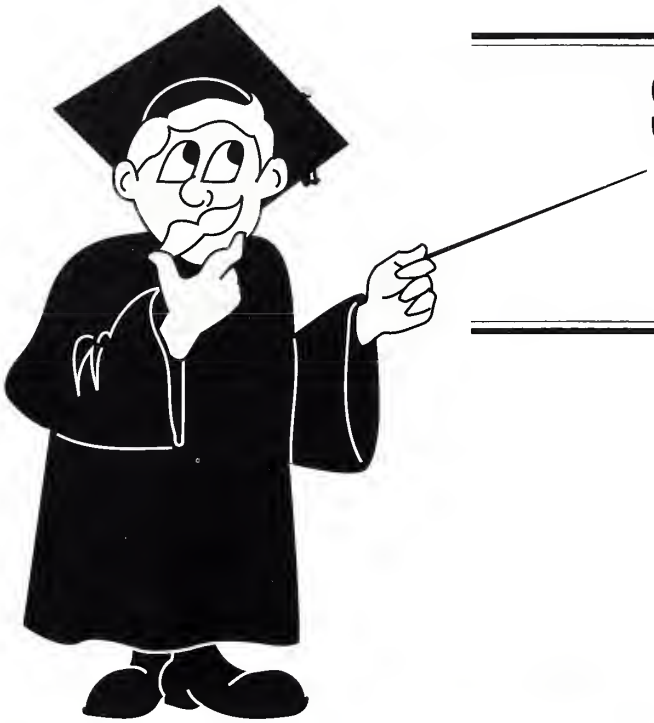
Team working together to varnish several hundred pieces of wood for the roof.

Beams are put up for roof support.

Roger Carron
Jeff Padgett
Myron Cheek
Jason King
Staci Honeycutt
Misty Weyant
Amie Fickett
Ben Temple
Anita Logan
Christie Hardee
Jessica, Cathy & Vince Castellani
Diana Zaragoza

Glenn Ward works hard on his study guide for several different classes.

Isn't Justin Stewart a little old for piggie back rides?



Surprise Shots at East Coast

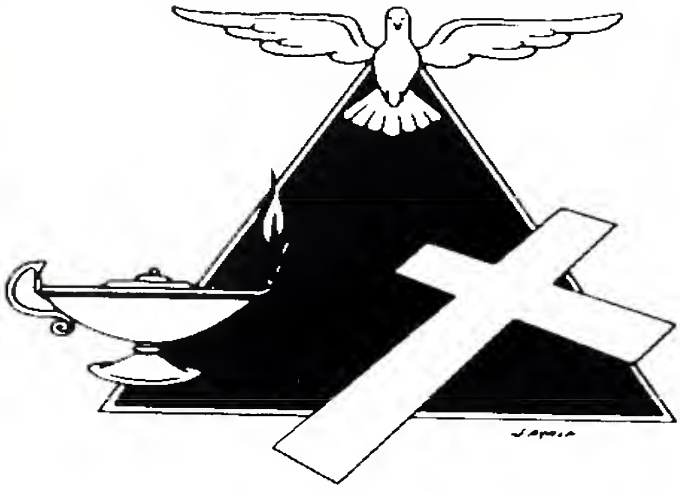
Ah, almost like home in Bulgaria... NOT!

You'd be surprised who you see on the phone late hours of the night.

What we do between morning and evening services on Sundays.

Room check on a Tuesday afternoon.

Students play church after hours.... When do they find this time to play?



A "BEFORE" LOOK AT THE NEW FUTURE CAMPUS OF E.C.B.C.

THE LOBBY OF THE FUTURE
MAIN BUILDING

OUTSIDE OF GYM BUILDING

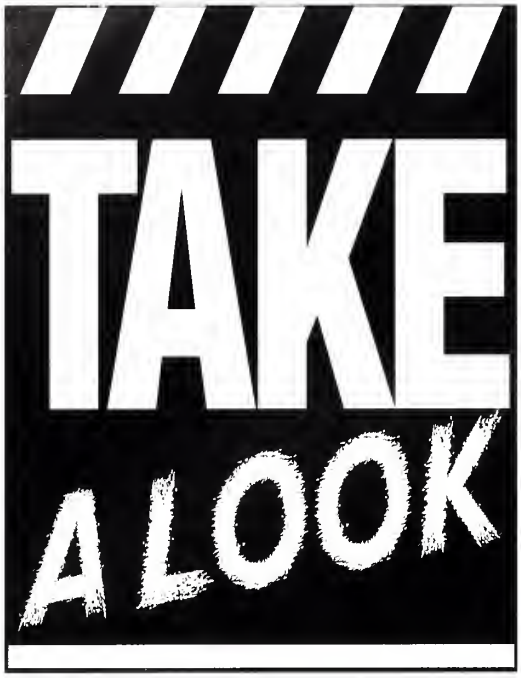
EAST COAST BRIDAL COLLEGE

AN INSIGHT OF WHAT MAY BE THE CAFETERIA

OTHER AREAS OF THE NEW CAMPUS

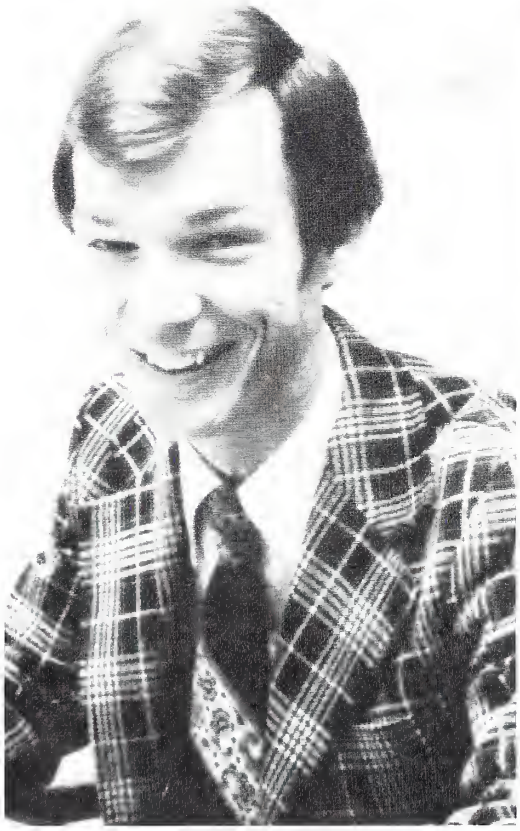
Within the next two or three years East Coast Bible College will be relocating over to Little Rock Rd. on the site which is currently known as Little Rock Church of God, which all students know as Paw Creek Church of God. In addition, new dorms, offices, and a library will need to be built along with repairs to the existing buildings.

HALLWAY



LOOKING DOWN THE E.C.B.C. STAFF MEMORY LANE....

A long, long time ago, when the population of cave people died off, some of our present staff members at East Coast were already here. Some were even students at one point and love it so much they just can't leave, while others left as graduates and came back as faculty. Some have changed a lot but others may never change, period.



Rev. Bobby Gilley
1979

Dr. George D. Voorhis
1978

Judy Isaacs
1979

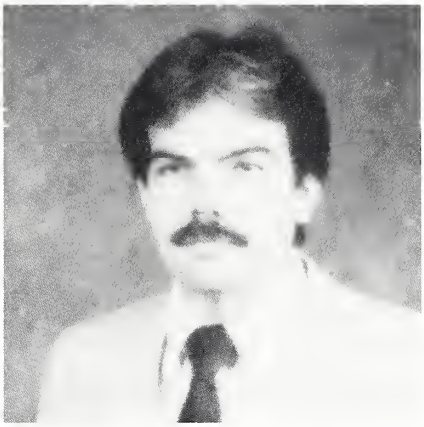
Eddy Wilson
1979

CHECK OUT the wild coat Bobby Gilley is wearing.

Ann Culberson
1985

Rusty Ayers still had his baby fat in 1985!

Rusty Ayers
1985



Mike Fleming
1986

SOME PEOPLE JUST DON'T CHANGE!!

Wanda Robinson
1989

Linda Martin
1989

Vincent Castellani
1986

THE WONDERFUL DORMS OF WOMEN

MARTIN HOUSE

Bottom row (l to r): Misty Weyant, Amie Fickett, Jill Kester.
Second row (l to r): Sarah Levine, Lora Ray, Heather Morrow, Rebecca Gehman.
Third row: Kristine Y-Walker

EAST & WEST PAULK

(l to r) Stephanie Carter, Lisa Reynolds, Gloria Tyner, Mandy Stewart, Rhonda White, Elizabeth Davis, Regina Flowers, Tanya Overbey, Christie Hardee, Adrianna Navarro.

VOORHIS HOUSE

(l to r) Staci Honeycutt, Melody-Dawn Richardson, Anita Logan, Emily Clay, Jennifer Miller, Jaime Lovley, Tangie Hanna, Joanna Harward, Melissa Clay.

3RD FLOOR

(top to bottom) Kristie Goforth, Kim Borin and Leah Edgecombe. (right)

MOODY HOUSE

Dorina Naznean and Tara Sessoms. (left)

The other girls in Moody don't like cameras.

BYRD DORM'S MIGHTY MEN OF GOD

1ST FLOOR

2ND FLOOR

Joe Johnson
Dony Donev
Johnny Petrillo
Larry Mathews
Paul Serrano
Matt Sherman
Ronnie Culbreth
Bill Coble
Matt Hawkins
Jeff Mink
Neil Martin
Chris Haas
Brian Williams

Miroslav Atanasov
Jeff Sibbett
Ivo Penev
Joel Roman
Paul Edgerton
JR Cook
Jason Honeycutt
Glenn Ward
David Bourhill

The library is a third home for many students

Students always doing periodicals for Sister Miles' classes.

Krissie Walker checks drop box at sunrise...

It's 10pm, time to close the library, girls...

Chad Fickett does impression of who?

The Handy Dandy librarian roof repair kit...

This is what Tara Sessoms does when she's not on SGA duty working as President.

Emily Clay shows Anita Logan how she really uses her head.

Student Union Center

The Student Union Center is a place on campus where the students usually gather in the evening to socialize with one another. The students play cards, watch television, and find out what the latest juicy, hot gossip is for the day. We all know who to turn to when we want to know something...

Anyone up for a game of spades?

Would you want this or chicken for the fourth day in a row? (right)

Dinner Time at Manna Mania

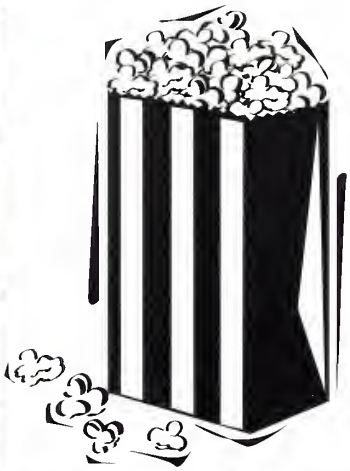
Allen Bard trys to decide if he wants to eat what they have or go somewhere else.

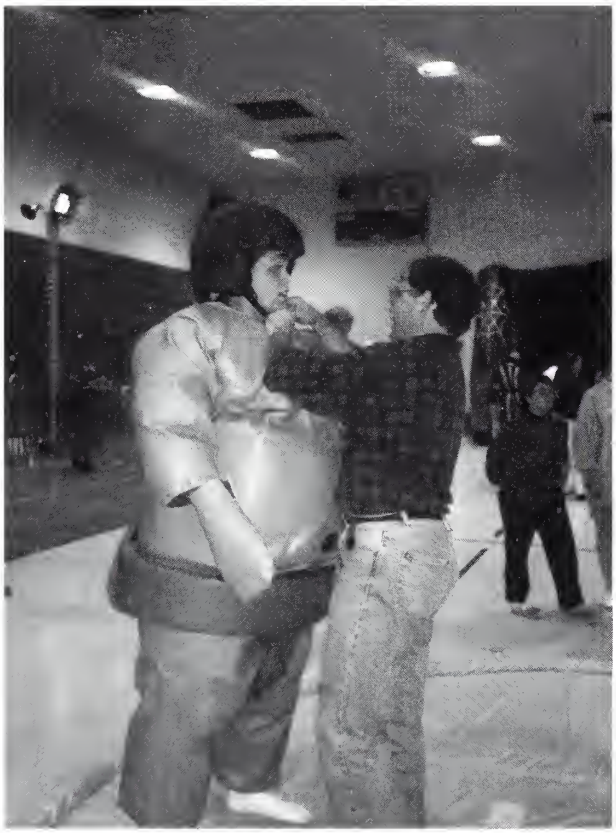
Evelyn Galloway, an E.C.B.C. staff member, comes to lunch with a big smile no matter what kind of food they serve. (above)

The neverending food line continues to get longer and longer no matter what they serve.

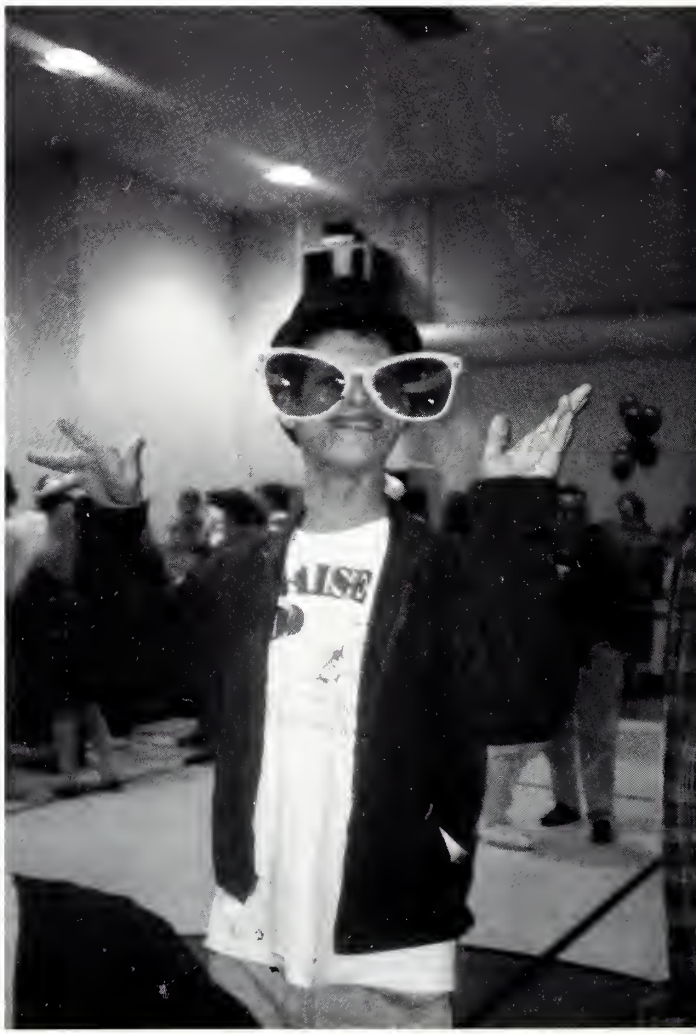
Tom is really stronger than he looks. (left)

Miroslav gets the East Coast muscle man award. (right)





Chad, look's like you gained a few pounds.



You might want to try contacts Neil.

Christians can have fun too!

Diana Zaragoza and Dorina Naznean are just having a heaven of a time being around each other. (above)

Mike Fleming is a lot cooler than he looks.

Man those Nachos sure look good!

What's up with the outfits guys?

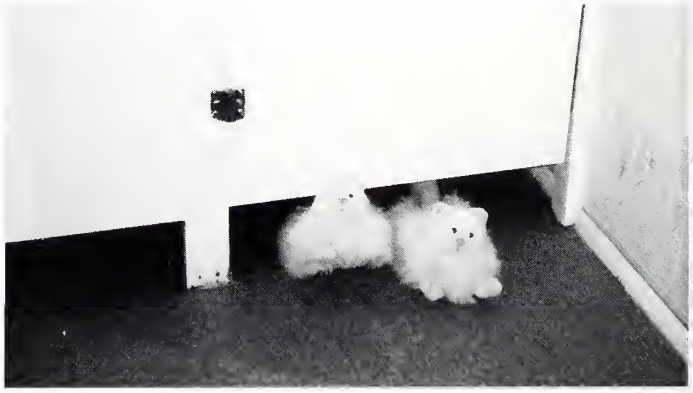
Yep, the ole big boy is down once again!

What Women Do In The Dorm

Playing Hide-n-seek in the shower stalls.

The women at East Coast are no different than the guys. They are just as godly, just as crazy, and know how to have just as much clean fun as the guys do. When they say they need to study, sometimes they do stuff like this.

Having a time of prayer with one another.



Doing puppet shows in the bathroom.

Have private dance lessons.

Practice airplane flying

Devotions on Monday & Wednesday nights.

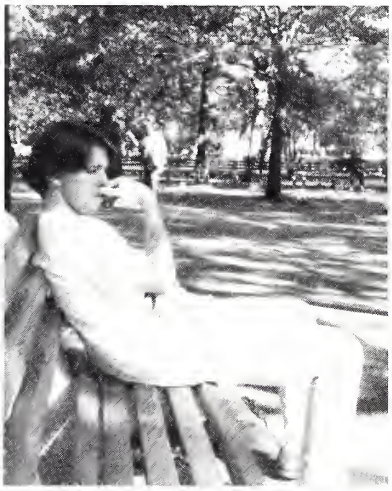
Pick on Bill Coble every night.

What guys do after hours...

Others just sit around and stare at nothing but the ugly walls in Byrd Dorm.

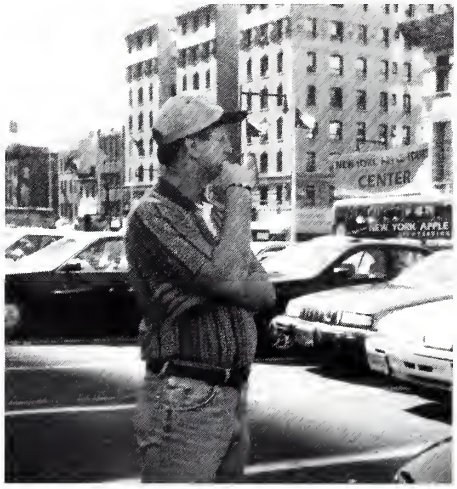
The guys really do study for Voorhis tests.... late at night that is.

LEFT: Two pictures of Manhatten.
BELOW: Derrek Goodwin is in deep thought.



The East Coast Missions Club once again took off to that big city of New York during fall break of 1995. The team reached out to people in the South Bronx, Brooklyn, and Queens, New York. They ministered from just walking on the streets to helping out in soup kitchens.

THE TRADITIONAL NEW



Ronnie Culbreth stands in awe in the big city of New York.

Part of the missions team: Diana Zaragoza, Eric Muckel, Adrianna Navarro, Bill Coble, Leah Edgecombe, Neil Martin and Juan Segura.

LEFT: One of the churches in the South Bronx with which the team worked.
RIGHT: Two pictures taken from a church parking lot in the Bronx.
BELOW: Kim Borin is ready to hit the streets.

MISSION TRIP TO YORK!

KIDS CRUSADE IN THE BRONX

Reaching to others for Jesus!

WINTER

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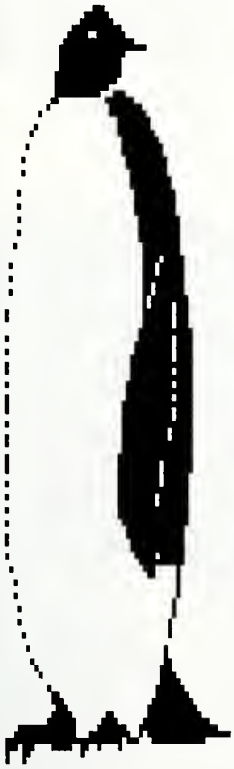
ABOVE: Miroslav Atanasov and Bill Coble enjoy playing in the snow together.
BELOW: Who is that trying to slide to Paulk dorm?

For the past two years, right when the dorms open and placement tests are to begin for spring semester, we have either a snow storm or an ice storm. This makes the third year in a row, but this year it was a combination of both. The storm put the spring semester three days behind schedule this year. Students who had arrived before the storm hit seemed to enjoy the snow. Some even went sledding for the first time in their life while others just stood in awe that it really does snow in the Carolinas beyond the mountians.

SNOW

STORM 96



Upper Right: Neil Martin, Matt Hawkins, Lisa Reynolds, Randy Wallace and Anita Logan enjoy the fresh arctic air.

Lower Right: Rhonda and Lisa go sledding for the first time in decades.

Bottom: What happened to Jimmie Cox's car?

Bottom Right: Mr. & Mrs. Derek Bossolono enjoy their first snow together.

Amie Fickett and Joel Roman

Lee Tarver and Jill Kester

HOMECOMING '96

Kim Borin and Paul Edgerton

Diana Zaragoza and Jason Honeycutt

1996 Homecoming Queen, Dana Herring and her escort, Jimmie Cox.

Ben Temple and Gloria Tyner

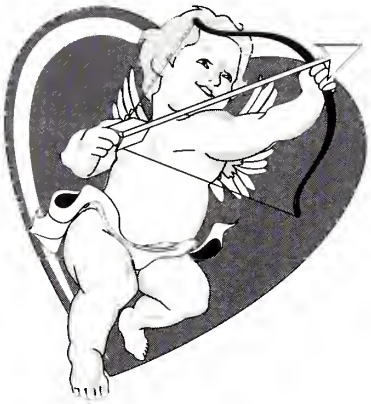
Joe Johnson and Francie Claypoole

Mike and Misty Campbell enjoy the great meal.

Heather Morrow and Chris Haas pose for the camera together.

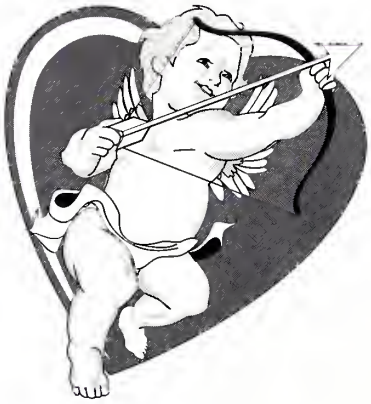
EAST COAST LOVE CONNECTION

Emily Clay and Glen Walters



Allen Bard and Jennifer Miller
(NOW HUSBAND & WIFE)

Matt Hawkins and Anita Logan



Jeff Sibbett and Rebecca Gehman

Eric Muckle and Adrianna Navarro

Jarret Godwin and Tanya Overbey

STUDENT LIFE

AWARDS NIGHT

Lester Powell, Jr.
Christian Education
Ronald Huffstetler
Biblical Studies
Jill Kester
Church Music
Ben Temple
Student Government
Yves Bazile
ABS
Nerissa Strong
SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY
Vicki Welch
Elementary Education
Diana Zaragoza
Christian Service
Allen Bard
Jamie Patrick
Ronald Huffstetler
AABC
Diana Zaragoza
Thomas E. Wilson Award

Ronald Huffstetler, Jeffrey Padgett, Jamie Patrick, Justin Wright
Who's Who Among Students in America's Uninversities & Colleges

Senior Banquet

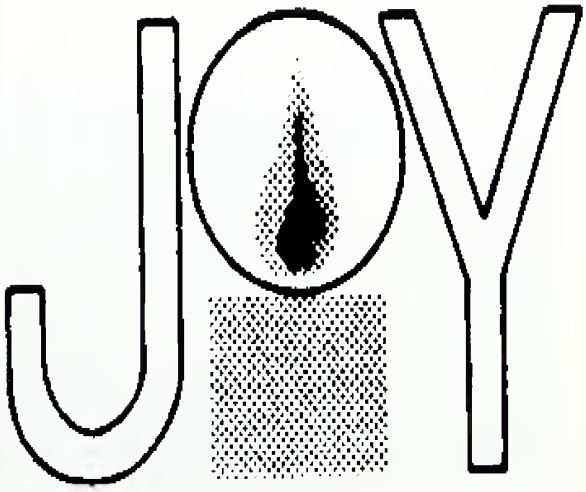
Brother Ron Martin was the speaker for the Sunday morning service.

A view from the balcony of worship Sunday morning.

Youth Worship team from Central Church of God led the music.

Another view of students in time of worship.

Jill Kester ministered through special singing Sunday.



SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

A beautiful view of God's creation from the Crest.

Jill Kester and Yves Bazil dine together for the last time.

Lisa Sizemore's daughter, Gloria, keeps brother Gwaltney busy.

Most Likely to Succeed

Jill Kester
Justin Wright

Best Looking

Tim French
Jamie Patrick

Most Talented

Jill Kester
William Martin

Most School Spirit

Dan Kinjorski
Dana Herring

Best All Around

Diana Zaragoza
Jeff Padgett

Best Christian Character

Diana Zaragoza
Tom Atkins

Best Dressed

Dana Herring
Myron Cheek

Best Personality

Laurie Hawks
Yves Bazil

Wittiest

Jill Kester
Carl Fosdick

Most Athletic

Tony Latham
Vicki Welch

Friendliest

Lisa Sizemore
Ronald Huffstetler

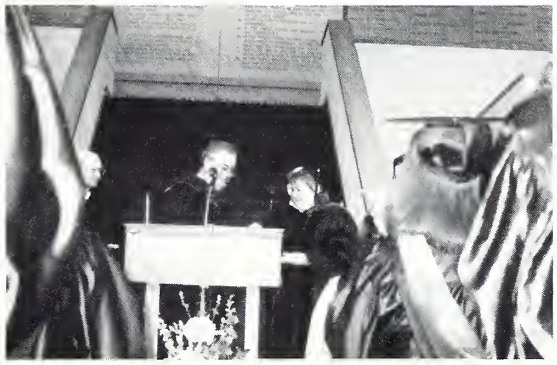
Myron Cheek accepts award for the Best Dressed Class of '96 male.

Tony Latham accepts the award for the Most Atheletic Class of '96 male.

Diana Zaragoza accepts one of many awards. Hmmmm, which one is this for?

CLASS OF 1996

L A S S O F 1996



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A Message For You!!

Dear Lord,
Where is my school bill coming from?

All my love,
Tara Sessoms

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Rachel Reneslasis,

I relish what little opportunity we have to elaborate upon our rapport. I have the utmost respect and admiration for your unique identities. Love ya!

"Your Coffee Mate"

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Dear Mom,
We are so proud of you! One more semester. In our eyes you have always been a good teacher by example.

Love,
Charlotte Hipp
Deborah Morton

****

Tony,
I'm proud of you! You have done a great job. You are a great husband! I love you very much!!

Love,
Shawna

****

Renee Witherspoon,
To my dearest Renee: Thank you for all of your love and support during this year. I love you very much.

Stephen Price

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Chelle,

I love you so much baby and I'm very proud of you. I'm anxious to see all the wonderful things Jesus will do through us.

Shawn

Miranda,

I left Georgia, met you in New Mexico. We married in Texas and settled in North Carolina. Only God knows where we're going from here but what a ride it's going to be.

Jeff Weaver

Tony,

We are all proud of you and we hope you accomplish all your goals.

Love,
Mom & Dad

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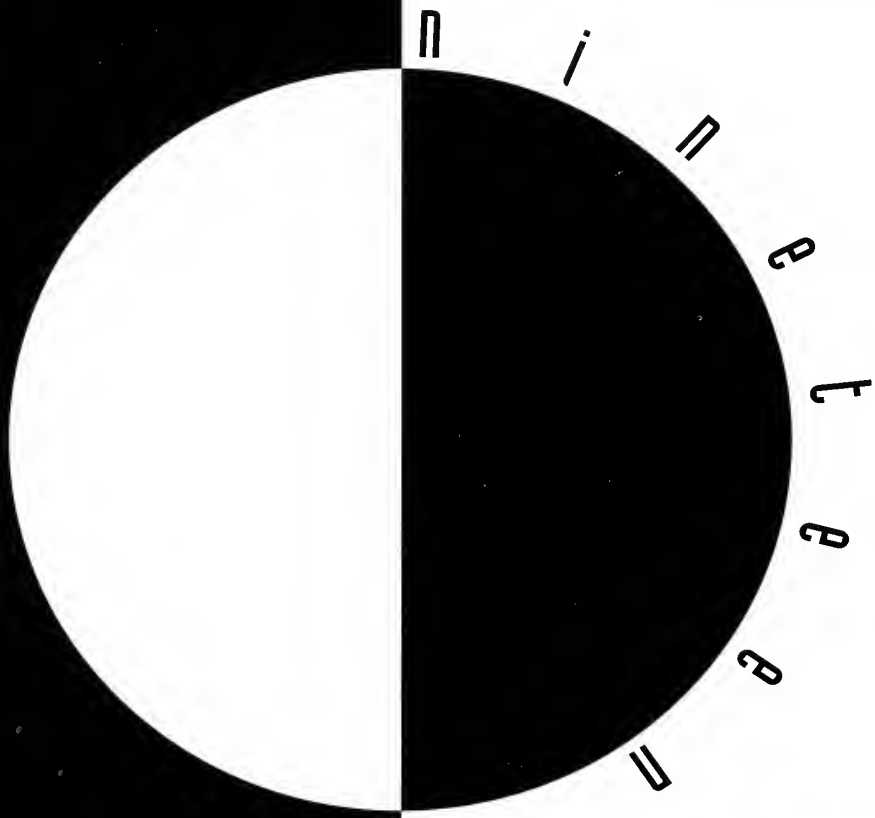

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We love always,
Mom & Dad

Keep your eyes on Jesus

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Proverbs 17:17

"A man who has friends must himself be friendly, but there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother." Proverbs 18:24

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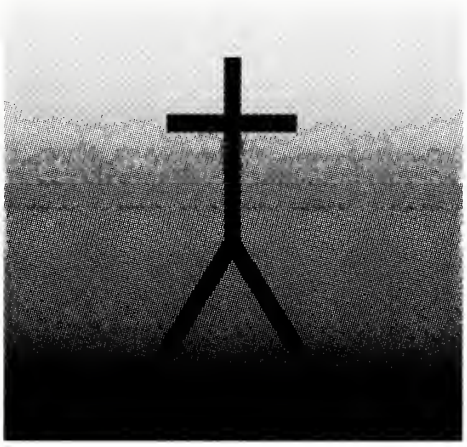

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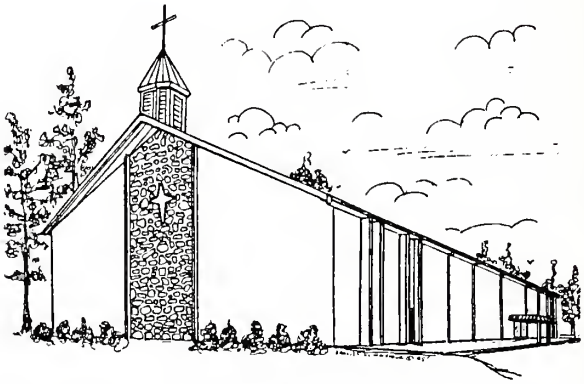

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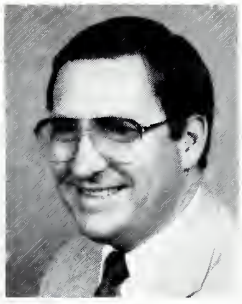

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